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CHANGES IN DIRECTORY.

Meat Inspection Inaugurated.

267. John Stoyka, 739 University Avenue, St. Paul, Minn.*281. The Equity Cooperative Packing Co., Fargo, N. Dak.

Meat Inspection Withdrawn.

41. Herman Isacs, 226 Oak Street, Bridgeport, Conn.

Meat Inspection Withdrawn Following Temporary Suspension.

763. Walter Gordon & Co., 406 Mystic Avenue, Somerville, Mass.

597. C. Stoppenbach's Sons, Jefferson, Wis.

86. North Cape Canning Co., Chicago, Ill.

98. Bristol Packing Co., Bristol, Tenn.

1007. The Haserot Canneries Co., Forestville, N. Y.

29. The Winorr Canning Co., Circleville, Ohio.

Meat Inspection Temporarily Suspended.

149. S. M. Holtsinger Co., Morristown, Tenn.

627. D. M. Bodine, 32 South Stockton Street, Trenton, N. J.

58. Quin Wo Chung Kee Co., 105 Park Street, New York, N. Y.

717. D. E. Nebergall Meat Co., Albany, Oreg.

Change in Address of Official Establishment.

 S. W. Gall, 2119–2125 Freeman Avenue, Cincinnati, Ohio, instead of 1907 Dunlap Street.

Change in Name of Establishment.

 Frank & Co., 644 Market Street, Milwaukee, Wis., instead of L. Frank & Son Co.
 The Capital City Products Co. (and Capital City Dairy Co. subsidiary), West First Avenue and Perry Street, Columbus, Ohio, instead of Capital City Dairy Co.

276. Joseph Sahlen Estate, 318 Howard Street, Buffalo, N. Y., instead of Joseph Sahlen.

Stations Added.

McNeill, Miss., beef-cattle production, Mr. S. W. Greene.

Fargo, N. Dak., meat inspection, Dr. D. F. Stuck, care Equity Cooperative Packing

, Stations Discontinued.

Collins, Miss.

Albany, Oreg. (substation of Portland, Oreg.).

Change in Address of Inspectors in Charge.

Dr. S. E. Cosford, 332 Federal Building, Lincoln, Nebr., instead of 414 Federal Building.

Dr. J. T. Gaston, P. O. box 623, Warren, Ariz., instead of Bisbee, Ariz.

Note.

Add the following subsidiary companies to Establishment 135, Tifton Packing Co.: Armour & Co., Anglo-American Provision Co., Colorado Packing & Provision Co., Fowler Packing Co., Friedman Manufacturing Co., German-American Provision Co. (Chicago, Ill.), Halstead & Co., The New York Butchers Dressed Meat Co., The North American Provision Co., Prairie State Packing Co., James Wright & Co.

NOTICES REGARDING MEAT INSPECTION.

POST-MORTEM EXAMINATION OF REACTING CATTLE.

The post-mortem examination of cattle which have reacted to the tuberculin test should receive special attention in order to locate all the lesions. This test is exceedingly accurate, and unless great care is exercised slight lesions may escape the macroscopic examination, to the discredit of the test. The post-mortem inspection of cattle which are properly designated as reactors to the tuberculin test should include an examination of all body lymph glands, although slight lesions in the viscera and adjacent lymph glands may be present. Further, if no lesion is found in the viscera or the body lymph glands the inspection should be continued so as to include a survey of the hide, the slicing of the mammary organ, and the splitting of the trachea for the detection of lesions which experience has shown may exist at some one of these points without other lesions. If after such complete examination no lesion is disclosed, specimens from the most suspicious glands should be forwarded to the Pathological Division laboratory for microscopical examination or animal inoculation. One copy of M. I. Form 112 F report covering reacting cattle should be forwarded immediately to the inspector in charge of tuberculosis-eradication work in the State in which the animal was condemned. In addition to the "U.S. Retained" tag number the identification of the animal should be indicated by the bureau or State reactor number.

PERMITTED COLORING SUBSTANCES.

Food inspection decision 180 strikes out from the list of permitted dyes, under "Yellow shades," "11. Sudan I," and "16. Butter yellow." In order to conform to this ruling, the bureau will permit only the following colors or mixtures of these colors to be used for dyeing casings of meat food products or to be added to prepared fats:

- (a) Annatto and turmeric.
- (b) Coal-tar colors as follows:

Red shades-

107. Amaranth.

56. Ponceau 3 R.

517. Erythrosine.

Orange shade—

85. Orange I.

Yellow shades-

4. Naphthol yellow S.

94. Tartrazine.

Yellow A. B. (benzeneazo-B-naphthylamine). Yellow O. B. (ortho-tolueneazo-B-naphthylamine).

Green shade-

435. Light green S. F. yellowish.

Blue shade-

692. Indigo disulfoacid.

The numbers preceding the names refer to the numbers of the colors as listed in A. G. Green's edition of the Schultz-Julius Systematic Survey of the Organic Coloring Matters, published in 1904.

Sudan I and butter yellow have been found unsatisfactory in practical use for foodcoloring purposes and therefore are withdrawn from the list of those which may be certified for use in foods.

MARKING MEATS PACKED IN BORAX.

Referring to the instructions in Service and Regulatory Announcements for January, 1918, under the caption "Meats packed in borax," hereafter containers of meats packed in borax may be stenciled with the statement "Packed in borax" in lieu of the statement "Packed in preservative."

ANIMALS SLAUGHTERED UNDER FEDERAL MEAT INSPECTION, MAY, 1919.

Station.	Cattle.	Calves.	Sheep.	Goats.	Swine.
Chicago Fort Worth Kansas City National Stock Yards Omaha St. Louis Sioux City South St. Joseph All other establishments	51,076 80,753 34,722 72,717 12,625 26,631	75, 154 13, 298 16, 380 12, 653 5, 957 3, 193 3, 625 5, 651 255, 993	255,508 34,987 109,138 30,621 116,895 3,795 14,894 61,646 263,840	2,320 441 8,363 1,378 658 528 5425	674,543 32,737 361,575 178,171 248,267 141,900 134,848 154,721 1,816,700
Total: May, 1919 May, 1918 11 months ended May, 1919 11 months ended May, 1918	720, 684 781, 755 10, 597, 528 10, 108, 725	391,304 357,353 3,347,182 3,010,720	894,324 659,063 10,336,889 8,032,199	14,118 13,987 122,105 131,698	3,743,463 3,092,325 40,670,159 32,666,056

IMPORTS OF FOOD ANIMALS AND OF MEATS AND MEAT FOOD PRODUCTS.

The statements following show the imports of food animals and of meats and meat food products inspected by the Bureau of Animal Industry during May, 1919, with figures for other periods for comparison.

Imports of food animals.

Country of export.	Cattle.	Swine.	Sheep.	Goats.	
Mexico. Canada. Great Britain.	23,563	8 388	8,455 1,243	91	
Total: May, 1919. May, 1918 11 months ended May, 1919 11 months ended May, 1918	23,849 428,166	396 49 23,899 13,638	9,698 3,908 181,798 151,620	91 1,903 24,327 23,789	

Imports of meat and meat food products.

Construction	Fresh and	refrigerated.	Canned	Other	Total weight.	
Country of export.	Beef.	Other.	and cured.	products.		
Argentina. Canada. Other countries. Total: May, 1919. May, 1918. 11 months ended May, 1919. 11 months ended May, 1918.	Pounds. 1,332,052 654,716 1,986,768 741,639 29,659,873 17,240,624	Pounds. 1, 473, 041 784, 775 2, 257, 816 462, 877 10, 191, 193 5, 381, 559	Pounds. 1,704,888 456,734 27,906 2,189,528 1,898,459 128,813,876 21,601,099	Pounds. 17, 964 508, 002 9, 405 535, 371 304, 566 6, 907, 452 11, 209, 611	Pounds. 1,722,852 3,769,829 1,476,802 6,969,483 3,407,541 175,572,394 55,432,893	

Condemned in May, 1919: Beef, 5,376 pounds; mutton, 36 pounds; pork, 151 pounds; total, 5,563 pounds. Refused entry: Beef, 7,703 pounds; pork, 350 pounds; total, 8,053 pounds.

INSPECTION AND TESTING OF ANIMALS FOR CANADA.

The following changes have been made in the list of practicing veterinarians registered by the bureau and authorized to inspect and test with mallein horses, mules, and asses intended for export to Canada:

Names Removed from List.

Dr. J. L. Axby, Lawrenceburg, Ind.

Dr. F. W. Caldwell, St. Joseph, Mo.

Dr. James Hart, Lexington, Nebr.

Dr. Chas. A. McKim, Norfolk, Nebr.

Dr. W. R. O'Neal, Pomona, Calif.

Dr. S. H. Ward, St. Paul, Minn.

Dr. Lee A. Wilson, Taylors Falls, Minn.

Dr. C. C. Wright, Lebanon, Oreg.

Changes in Addresses.

Dr. S. J. Alcalay, from Frazee, Minn., to Fairfax, Minn.

Dr. C. E. Cotton, from Minneapolis, Minn., to St. Paul, Minn.

LICENSES FOR VETERINARY BIOLOGICAL PRODUCTS.

The following changes have been made in the list of licenses for the manufacture of veterinary biological products for the year 1919 under the act of Congress of March 4, 1913 (37 Stat., 832), and the regulations made thereunder (B. A. I. Order 196):

Licenses issued.

License No. Date.		Name and address of firm.	Products.			
107 140	June 10	The Abbott Laboratorics, 4753-57 Ravenswood Avenue, Chicago, Ill. Jensen-Salsbery Laboratories (Inc.), 1320 Main Street, Kansas City, Mo. Mitchell Serum Co., Grand Island, Nebr	Mixed-infection bacterin (for cattle).			

REQUIREMENTS FOR LABELING VETERINARY BIOLOGICS.

The second paragraph of the notice appearing on page 37 of Service and Regulatory Announcements for April, 1919, under the caption identical with that of this notice is modified and explained as follows:

The names of the organisms or antigens used in the manufacture of licensed veterinary biological products need not be shown on trade labels relating to these products, unless so desired by the manufacturer, when the names by which they are identified are significative in this respect. This applies to anthrax products, blackleg products, tetanus antitoxin, antihog-cholera serum, hog-cholera virus, diagnostic agents, and the like when prepared by the usual or standard methods now employed. Labels which are too small to permit appropriate instructions to be shown with clearness should bear in substance "directions inclosed" or "directions herewith," as methods of distribution may require, it being understood that in such cases full directions on carton labels or otherwise are to accompany the products concerned to the users thereof.

ANIMALS FROM WHICH HOG-CHOLERA VIRUS FOR SIMULTANEOUS INOCULATION MAY BE COLLECTED.

Requirements concerning hog-cholera virus intended for simultaneous inoculation which appear on pages 70 and 71 of Service and Regulatory Announcements for June, 1917, are hereby modified so that such hog-cholera virus may be collected from pigs inoculated for the production of virus to be used for hyperimmunization provided only animals are selected which meet all requirements prescribed for pigs furnishing simultaneous virus with the following exceptions:

- 1. Temperatures of the animals may be taken and recorded subsequent to inoculation as set forth in paragraph 4 found under the caption "Requirements concerning hog-cholera virus intended for hyperimmunization" on page 69 of the above announcements.
- 2. The physical condition of the animals need not be recorded until on and after the fifth day subsequent to inoculation when visible symptoms of sickness are not exhibited prior to that time.

The purpose of this order is to provide for a wider range of selection of pigs on antemortem inspection than is now practicable, from which simultaneous virus may be collected. Those animals, which upon inspection on and after the fifth day subsequent to inoculation appear suitable for the above-named purpose, should be placed in separate pens for observation pending final disposition.

FOREIGN OFFICIALS AUTHORIZED TO SIGN INSPECTION CERTIFICATES FOR MEAT AND PRODUCTS FOR IMPORTATION INTO THE UNITED STATES.

The following are additional names, addresses, and facsimile signatures of foreign national Government officials authorized to sign and issue certificates of inspection for meat and meat food products offered for importation into the United States:

Country, name, and address. Signature. BRAZIL. Dr. Adalgiso Ferreira de Souza, Sant' Anna do Livramento, Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil. Dr. Capitulino Vilella Barbeza, Sant' Anna do Livramento, Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil. CANADA. Ronald Gwatkin, 1127 Keele Street, Toronto, Ontario. Charles H. Richardson, 1127 Keele Street, Toronto, Ontario. H. Sproston, 711 Boyd Building, Winnipeg, Manitoba. H. C. Storey, 711 Boyd Building, Winnipeg, Manitaba. E. B. Ungar, 1127 Keele Street, Toronto, Ontario.

RESULTS OF PROSECUTIONS FOR VIOLATIONS OF LAWS.

Penalties have been imposed in prosecutions for violations of regulatory laws, as reported to the bureau, as follows:

Live-Stock Quatantine Law.

Norfolk & Western Railway Co. (2 cases), \$200 fines and \$34.50 costs.

Southern Railway Co., \$100 fine and \$7.65 costs.

Louisiana & Arkansas Railway Co., \$100 fine.

Louisville & Nashville Railroad Co. (7 cases), \$700 fines.

J. L. Lancaster and Pearl Wight, receivers Texas & Pacific Railway Co., \$100 fine and \$26.85 costs.

Kansas City, Mexico & Orient Railroad Co., \$100 fine and \$19.45 costs.

Wells Fargo & Co. Express, \$100 fine.

Twenty-Eight-Hour Law.

Central of Georgia Railway Co. (2 cases), \$200 fines.

Delaware & Hudson Co., \$125 fine.

New York Central Railroad Co. (39 cases), \$4,424 fines and \$192 costs.

Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway Co. (2 cases), \$200 fines and \$31.16 costs.

Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Co. (4 cases), \$400 fines and \$25.55 costs.

Chesapeake & Ohio Railway Co. (13 cases), \$1,300 fines and \$222.40 costs.

Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railway Co. (4 cases), \$400 fines and \$19.12 costs.

Erie Railroad Co. (56 cases), \$15,000 fines and \$76.05 costs.

Norfolk & Western Railway Co., \$375 fine and \$11.25 costs. Boston & Maine Railroad Co. (9 cases), \$1,000 fines.

Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis Railway Co. (3 cases), \$300 fines and \$56.70 costs.

CASUALTIES TO BUREAU EMPLOYEES IN MILITARY SERVICE.

In addition to advising this office as to former employees who lost their lives in the military service in the war with Germany, the bureau desires that chiefs of divisions and inspectors and others in charge send in any information that may come to their attention concerning such employees who may have been wounded in line of duty.

NOTICE TO THOSE IN CHARGE OF FIELD STATIONS.

In complying with instructions appearing on page 37 of Service and Regulatory Announcements for April, 1919, under the caption, "Notice to those in charge of field stations," the character of the work in which inspectors in charge are engaged hereafter will be given in full, as "Inspector in Charge, Meat Inspection," "Inspector in Charge, Virus-Serum Control," etc.

TEXAS-FEVER QUARANTINE—PLACES TO WHICH SOUTHERN CATTLE MAY BE SHIPPED FOR IMMEDIATE SLAUGHTER.

The following change has been made in the list published in Service and Regulatory Announcements for June, 1918, of places to which southern cattle may be shipped for immediate slaughter under State and Federal permission.

Permission Granted.

MARYLAND: Frederick, J. A. Whitfield Co. (Inc.).

PERMITTED DISINFECTANT.

In accordance with the provisions of B. A. I. Order 263, the bureau has granted permission for the use of "NSCO Cresol Compound," manufactured by the National Supply Co., Birmingham, Ala., as a substitute for compound solution of cresol, U. S. P., in the general disinfection of cars, yards, and other premises.

STATUS OF TICK ERADICATION IN VARIOUS STATES, MAY, 1910.

State.	d during onth.				Ir	Inspectors.			
	Herds.	Cattle.	Herds.	Cattle.	being worked.	B.A.I.	State.	Coun- ty.	able.
Alabama Arkansas Florida. Georgia Louislana Mississippi North Carolina Oklahoma South Carolina Texas (Fort Worth) Texas (Houston)	214,098 121,942 18,788 71,103 209,876 55,335 2,087 58,649 25,072 125,510 21,560	1,014,684 695,554 352,899 529,280 1,774,341 532,558 8,291 612,999 155,487 1,628,607 316,679	18,434 30,223 9,143 8,775 5,879 128 1,915 15,012 933 39,978 12,348	81,817 183,824 30,885 17,453 46,836 490 6,719 149,733 4,449 525,894 131,912	47, 637 34, 669 50, 032 17, 832 45, 164 35, 367 9, 346 20, 135 16, 340 64, 339 36, 587	28 47 15 26 37 23 7 26 32 32 34 15	51 228 47 33 30 25 11 25 57 32 2	397 39 59 111 472 184 16 132 400 68	7,743 3,681 1,263 1,299 4,638 5,726 481 1,130 806 4,271 1,172
Total	924,020	7,621,269	142,768	1,180,003	377, 448	290	541	1,878	32,210

SUMMARY OF TUBERCULOSIS-ERADICATION WORK IN COOPERATION WITH THE VARIOUS STATES, MAY, 1919.

		Tu	bercul tests.	lin	pl	m- oy-		
Station.	States.	Herds or lots.	Cattle tested.	Reacted.	Bureau.	State.	Inspector in charge.	State official.
Albany, N. Y Atlanta, Ga	N. Y Ga	47 31	1,389 840	98 28	5 4	4	H. B. Leonard W. M. MacKel- lar.	D. W. McLaury, Albany. P. F. Bahnsen, Atlanta.
Birmingham, Ala Bismarck, N. Dak Boston, Mass	Ala N. Dak. Mass Me R. I. Conn N. H	42 61 15 62 3 9 5	1, 175 285 934 36 321	5	. 4	3	R. E. Jackson H. H. Cohenour E. A. Crossman do do	C. A. Cary, Auburn. W. F. Crewe, Bismarck. L. H. Howard, Boston. Boyden Bearce, Augusta. J. S. Pollard, Provilence. J. M. Whittelsey, Hartford. A. L. Felker, Concord.
Charleston, W. Va. Chicago, Ill. Columbia, S. C. Columbus, Ohio. Des Moines, Iowa Harrisburg, Pa. Helena, Mont. Indianapolis, Ind. Jackson, Miss.	W. Va Ill S. C Ohio Iowa Pa Mont	5 81 25 125 36 93 54 43 40	1,505 731 1,876 953 1,383 1,413 820	103 32 152 101 104 39 25 66	2 9 3 7 4 8 4 5 4	1 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 5 5	Geo. W. Neff. J. J. Lintner W. K. Lewis Leo E. Davis. F. H. Thompson P. E. Quinn R. Snyder. J. E. Gibcon do. J. A. Barger.	J. H. Stewart, Charleston. A. T. Peters, Springfield. R. O. Feeley, Clemson College. T. A. Burnett, Columbus
Jefferson City, Mo. Lansing, Mich. Lincoln, Nebr. Little Rock, Ark. Madison, Wis. Montpelier, Vt. Nash ville, Tenn. New Orleans, La. Oklahoma, Okla. Pierre, S. Dak. Portland, Oreg. Richmond, Va. St. Paul, Minn.	$\begin{cases} Va\\ N.C\end{cases}$	42 38 4 123 55 65 44 13 74	543 18 3,542 1,273 1,826 1,166 284 765 531 2,424 2,130 1,023 2,463 2,303 2,303 400 199	200 388 11 1499 511 200 355 255 377 500 1111 1422 599 3	5 4 4 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1 5 3 1 2 1 3 1 2 6	W. B. Lincoln	D. F. Luckey, Jefferson City. H. H. Halladay, Lansing. W. T. Spencer, Lincoln. R. M. Gow, Little Rock. C. P. Norgord, Madison. E. S. Brigham, Montpelier. M. Jacob, Nashville. E. P. Flower, Baton Rouge. J. A. Whitehurst, Oklahoma. A. F. Beaumont, Pierre. W. H. Lytle, Salem. E. F. Benson, Olympia. J. G. Ferneyhough, Richmond. Wm. Moore, Raleigh. C. E. Cotton, St. Faul. Do. R.W. Hoggan, Salt Lake City. J. B. Adams, Boise. Edw. Records, Reno.
Tallahassee, Fla Topeka, Kans Trenton, N. J Washington, D. C	Fla Kans N. J Del D. C Md	59 35 12 4 78 53	734 1, 833 299 73 160 994	45 - 17 24 - 7 1 33	3 2 2	1 1 	J. G. Fish H. M. Graefe W. G. Middleton do J. A. Kiernan dodo	J. W. De Milley, Tallahassee.
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Department Bulletin 782. A Study of the Alkali-Forming Bacteria Found in Milk. By S. Henry Ayers, Philip Rupp, and William T. Johnson, jr., Dairy Division. Pp. 39, figs. 2.

Department Circular 7. Trend of the Dairy-Cattle Industry in the United States and Other Countries. By T. R. Pirtle, Dairy Division. Pp. 19, figs. 21.

Department Circular 46. How to Make a Hog Crate. Prepared in the bureau. Pp. 2.

B. A. I. Order 263. Regulations Governing the Interstate Movement of Live Stock. Effective on and after July 1, 1919. Pp. 37.

B. A. I. Order 264. Regulations Governing the Inspection, Humane Handling, and Safe Transport of Export Animals. Effective June 5, 1919. Pp. 23.

Amendment 8 to B. A. I. Order 211. Regulations Governing the Meat Inspection of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Effective on and after June 16, 1919. P. 1.

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